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SUBJECT: US - HAITI TEXTILE AGREEMENT

REF: HAITI AIRGRAM-4 OF JANUARY 16, 1976

1. FRENCH TEXT OF BILATERAL AGREEMENT CONTAINED REFERENCED AIRGRAM IS ACCEPTABLE WITH FOLLOWING CHANGES (EMBASSY SHOULD ADD ALL ACCENT MARKS).

(A) UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH 3 SHOULD BE CHANGED TO READ:

"COMME RESULTAT DE CES POURPARLERS ET, ME REFERANT A L' ARTICLE 4, PARAGRAPHE 3, ET A L' ARTICLE 6, PARAGRAPHS 1 ET 6 DE LA CONVENTION, J'AIMERAIS PROPOSER L'ACCORD SUIVANT EN CE QUI CONCERNE LE COMMERCE DES TEXTILES ET DES PRODUITS TEXTILES DE COTON, DE LAINE ET DE FIBRES CHIMIQUES ENTRE HAITI ET LES ETATS-UNIS, ACCORD DESTINE A REMPLACER, A COMPTER DU 1ER JANVIER 1976, L'ACCORD EXISTANT DATE DU 3 NOVEMBRE 1971, TEL QU'AMENDE, RELATIF AU COMMERCE DES TEXTILES DE COTON."

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(B) PARAGRAPH 3:

1. GROUP I: "TEXTILES" SHOULD REPLACE "TISSUES" TO READ
"TEXTILES ET VETEMENTS DE COTON (CATEGORY 01-64).""TEXTILES"
SHOULD REPLACE "TISSUES" TO READ "AUTRES TEXTILES ET
VETEMENTS DE COTON."

2. GROUP II: DESCRIPTION SHOULD BE CHANGED TO READ:
"TEXTILES ET VETEMENTS DE FIBRES SYNTHETIQUES (CATEGORIES
200-243)."

(C) PARAGRPH 4,LINE 3: "SPECIFIQUES" SHOULD BE ADDED
TO READ "... LES LIMITES DE GROUPES ET DE CATEGORIES
SPECIFIQUES SERONT AUGMENTEES. . ."

(D) PARGRPH 7,LINE 14: TYPO BETWEEN "200-213," AND
"241-243" WHICH READS "46" SHOULD BE CHANGED TO READ
"ET".

(E) PARAGRAPH 16, LINE E AND 4: SHOULD BE CHANGED TO
READ "... POUR DEMENDER LA LIMITATION DE L'EXPORTATION VERS
LES ETATS-UNIS DES TEXTILES COUVERTE PAR CET ACCORD."

(F) THROUGHOUT AGREEMENT TERM "FIBRES CHIMIQUES" OULD
BE USED IN PLACE OF "FIBRES SYNTHETIQUES."

3. FOLLOWING CHANGE, IF NOT RPT NOT ALREADY MADE, SHOULD
BE INCORPORATED IN ENGLISH RPT ENGLISH TEXT: "(EXCLUDING
WOOL)"SHOULD BE ADDED TO FINAL CLAUSE, FIRST SENTENCE,
PARAGRAPH 2 TO READ "... THE AGGREGATE LIMIT (EXCLUDING
WOOL)WILLBE 61,000,000 SQUARE YARDS EQUIVALENT."

4. WE HAVE ATTEMPTED TO KEEP CHANGES TO FRENCH TEXT TO
VERY MINIMUM. AS SOON AS EMBASSY REPORTSGOH HAS AGREED
TO CHANGES, WE WILL PROVIDE AMBASSADOR TELEGRAPHIC
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